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Re: Port of Portland Facilities Preliminary Assessments

Dear Eric:

Enclosed please find Preliminary Assessments that your department requested for Port of Portland property at Terminal 1, Terminal 2, Terminal 4 Auto Storage Facility and Terminal 4 Slip 1. You requested that the Port conduct the Assessments so that DEQ could determine the extent to which these facilities may have contributed to Portland Harbor sediment contamination. I hope that these Assessments will provide you with the information you need to make this determination but if you will need additional information to complete your work please don't hesitate to contact me.

Work on the Preliminary Assessment for Terminal 5 is still being conducted by the Port and I expect that it will be completed by the end of this month. Your letter of December 16, 1999 addressed to me also requested that the Port provide DEQ with the historical usage of the Bonneville Power Administration Right of Way property. The research into this property is still being conducted and I hope to have it done by the end of this month as well.

If you have any questions about the information provided or would like to look at or get copies of the reference documents, please contact me at 240 - 2014.

Sincerely,

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Enclosures

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